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In re application of

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Group 1638

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METHOD FOR OBTAINING RECOMBINANT PLANTS
OF THE CICHORIUM GENUS AND PLANTS THUS
OBTAINED

RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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October 10, 2008

Sir:

This is a response the Official Action mailed July 10,
2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.